

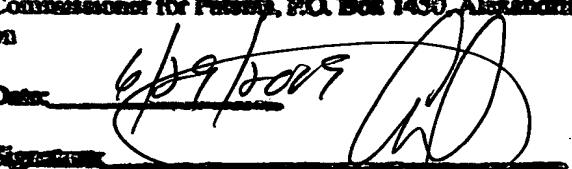


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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 3, 2009 (the three-month response date for which is July 6, 2009, since July 3, 2009 is a Federal Holiday and since July 4, 2009 is a Saturday), please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.